



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Ronald N. Kessler

Serial No: 10/092,197

Examiner: Thomas, A.

Filed: March 5, 2002

Art Unit: 1772

Confirmation No.: 1910

For: FLOOR MAT SYSTEM

Docket: 1474009US4APP

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

In response to the Office Action dated August 21, 2003, the Applicant respectfully requests the entry of the following amendments.

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Under Small Entity StatusAttorney Docket No:  
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TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below.

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## CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	NO. OF EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	13	MINUS	21	0	\$9.00	\$0
INDEP. CLAIMS	3	MINUS	4	0	\$43.00	\$0

Petition is hereby made under 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the time for response to the Office Action of \_\_\_\_\_ to and through \_\_\_\_\_, comprising an extension of the shortened statutory period of:

\_\_\_\_\_ one month \$55      \_\_\_\_\_ three months \$475      \_\_\_\_\_ five months \$1005  
 \_\_\_\_\_ two months \$210      \_\_\_\_\_ four months \$740

TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT	0.00
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Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

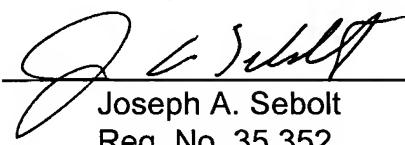
A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ is attached.

Charge \$\_\_\_\_\_ to Deposit Account \_\_\_\_\_.

No additional fee is required.

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